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In Troubled Waters

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To the Editor: Is Allen Dulles's C.I.A. preparing the ax for Castro's Cuba as it successfully did for Armas's Guatemala in 1954? A few weeks ago in this daily column, Drew Pearson reported that Dulles was co-ordinating the activities of five counter-revolutionary forces for the invasion of Cuba.

Dr. Ronald Hilton, director of the Institute of Hispanic-American Studies at
Stanford University, states, according to
the Nation magazine, November 19, that
he was informed recently in Guatemals
that the U. S. Central Intelligence Agency,
had acquired a large tract of land at acost in excess of \$1,000,000 for the training of Cuban counterrevolutionists; that
U. S. personnel and equipment were being
used at this base, that the source of this
information was a well known Guatemalan journalist, Clement Marroquin,

Rojas, of the newspaper "La Hora," and that Guatemalan President, Miguel Ydigoras Fuentes, on a recent TV program admitted the existence of this base but refused to disclose its purpose or any other facts about it.

Recently some high U. S. officials have called for severance of diplomatic relations with Cuba and others for the support of Cuban counter-revolutionaries. It is clearly too late for the U. S. military role of "high-class muscle man for Big Business, for Wall Street, and for bankers." It is certainly too late for the U. S. government to overthrow other governments with foreign or native troops

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